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VIA EMAIL AND REGULAR MAIL

Hon Vernon A. Williams, Secretary Surface Transportation Board 395 E. Street SW, Room 101 Washington, DC 20423



RE:

CC:

Request for Extension - Interim Trail Use
Delaware & Hudson Railway Company, Inc. d/b/a Canadian Pacific Railway
Abandonment - Albany County, NY
STB Docket No. AB-15 (Sub-No. 23X)

Dear Mr. Williams.

As you are aware, the Surface Transportation Board had granted Albany County an extension until October 31, 2008 to finalize the acquisition negotiation process in connection with the above referenced matter

I am advised that there is only one issue remaining to be resolved before the acquisition negotiation process is finalized and an Agreement in this regard is signed by the parties. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Board grant a further extension until December 31, 2008 for this purpose. I am further advised that the Delaware & Hudson Railway Company, Inc. has no objection to this request.

Thank you for your anticipated courtesy and cooperation in this regard

Sincerely.

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